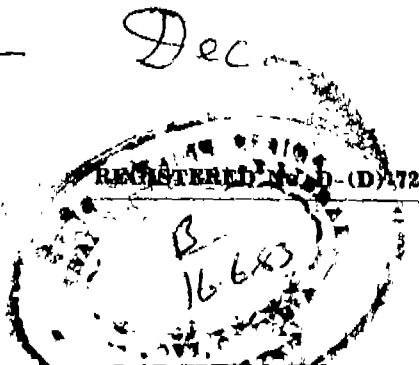


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LOK SABHA

The following Bills were introduced in Lok Sabha on the 22nd February, 1983:—

BILL NO. 12 OF 1983

A Bill further to amend the Delhi Municipal Corporation Act, 1957

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Thirty-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the Delhi Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Act, 1983.

Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 2nd day of January, 1983.

65 of 1957. 2. In the Delhi Municipal Corporation Act, 1957 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), after section 5, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—

Insertion of new section 5A.

“5A. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 3 or section 5, until the relevant figures for the first census taken after the year 2000 have been published, it shall not be necessary,

Special provision as to delimitation, etc.

(a) to alter the number of councillors and the number of councillors to be reserved for the members of the Scheduled Castes as determined under section 3 on the basis of the population of Delhi as ascertained at the 1971 census, or

(b) to alter the number of wards, or the extent of any ward, as determined under section 5 on the basis of the population of Delhi as ascertained at the 1971 census,

and for this purpose, the reference in sub-section (6) of section 3 to each census and the references to population in that sub-section and in sub-section (1) of section 5 shall be construed, respectively, as references to the 1971 census and to the population as ascertained at the 1971 census.”.

Repeal
and
saving.

3. (1) The Delhi Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Ordinance, 2 of 1983, is hereby repealed.

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken under the principal Act, as amended by the said Ordinance, shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the principal Act, as amended by this Act.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Delhi Municipal Corporation Act, 1957 provides that for the purposes of election of Councillors, Delhi shall be divided into single-member wards in such manner that the population of each of the wards shall, so far as practicable, be the same throughout Delhi. It also provides for determination of wards and reservation of seats for the Scheduled Castes. The figures of 1981 Census being available, it is necessary to delimit the wards on the basis of 1981 Census, but the process of delimitation of the wards being time consuming and the holding of elections to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi immediately having become urgently necessary, the Delhi Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Ordinance, 1983 was promulgated to facilitate elections being held to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi on the basis of existing wards and reservation of seats for Scheduled Castes determined after 1971 Census, on the lines of similar provisions in the Constitution of India relating to elections to the Members of Parliament and the Members of the Legislative Assemblies in the States.

2. The Bill seeks to replace the said Ordinance.

NEW DELHI;
The 16th February, 1983.

P. C. SETHI.

BILL No. 13 OF 1983

A Bill to amend the Delhi Administration Act, 1966

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Thirty-fourth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short
title and
commen-
cement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Delhi Administration (Amendment) Act, 1983.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 2nd day of January, 1983.

Amend-
ment of
section 3.

2. In the Delhi Administration Act, 1966 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act, in section 3, for sub-section (5), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:—

‘(5) For the purposes of this section and section 4, the expression “population” means the population as ascertained at the last preceding census of which the relevant figures have been published:

Provided that the reference in this sub-section to the last preceding census of which the relevant figures have been published shall, until the relevant figures for the first census taken after the year 2000 have been published, be construed as a reference to the 1971 census.’

Amend-
ment of
section 4.

3. In section 4 of the principal Act, after sub-section (5), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:—

“(6) For the removal of doubts, it is hereby declared that until the relevant figures for the first census taken after the year 2000 have been published, it shall not be necessary to readjust the division of Delhi into constituencies under this section.”

Repeal
and
saving.

4. (1) The Delhi Administration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1983, is hereby repealed.

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken under the principal Act, as amended by the said Ordinance, shall be deemed to have been done or taken under the principal Act, as amended by this Act.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Delhi Administration Act, 1966 requires that for the purposes of elections to the Metropolitan Council of Delhi, the Union territory of Delhi shall be divided into single-member constituencies in such manner that the population of each of the constituencies shall, as far as practicable, be the same throughout the Union territory of Delhi. It also provides for delimitation of the constituencies and reservation of seats for the Scheduled Castes. The figures of 1981 census being available, it is necessary to delimit the constituencies on the basis of the 1981 census, but the process of delimitation of the constituencies being quite time consuming, and holding of elections to the Metropolitan Council of Delhi having become urgently necessary, the Delhi Administration (Amendment) Ordinance, 1983, was promulgated to facilitate elections being held to the Metropolitan Council of Delhi on the basis of the existing constituencies, and reservation of seats for Scheduled Castes determined after the 1971 census, on the lines of similar provisions in the Constitution of India relating to elections to the Members of Parliament and the Members of Legislative Assemblies in the States.

2 The Bill seeks to replace the said Ordinance.

NEW DELHI;
The 16th February, 1983

P. C. SETHI,

AVTAR SINGH RIKHY,
Secretary.

